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F. DATA PRACTICES

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The next questions are about criminal justice data and how information like arrest and conviction records, police reports, and victim and witness information is shared with the public and within government. We're talking here about records that are maintained by government agencies like police, probation officers, public defenders, and prosecutors.

1. How concerned are you about (READ LIST) . . . are you very concerned, somewhat concerned, not very concerned, or not at all concerned, or do you not know enough about it to say?

		VERY CON	SOME- WHAT CON	NOT VERY CON	NOT AT ALL CON	DK	RA
___	a. identity theft	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	b. reselling of government records by private companies or by individuals to make a profit	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	c. the government maintaining a large amount of information about individuals	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	d. government agencies sharing information about you without your knowledge	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	e. offenders getting access to information about victims, witnesses, or their families	1	2	3	4	8	9

RANDOM START QF1: \_\_\_

2. There are some common situations where government agencies share criminal justice information WITH EACH OTHER. In your opinion, should (READ LIST) be always shared, usually shared, usually not shared, or never shared?

		ALWAYS SHARED	USUALLY SHARED	USUALLY NOT SHARED	NEVER SHARED	DK	RA
___	a. information about an offender between law enforcement officers in two different counties	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	b. information about an offender's mental health that would help provide support or treatment	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	c. information about a juvenile offender between law enforcement and the school	1	2	3	4	8	9

___	d.	information that is needed to protect a crime victim	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	e.	information to ensure public defenders have what they need to defend someone accused of a crime	1	2	3	4	8	9
___	f.	information to help solve a crime that crosses city or county lines	1	2	3	4	8	9

RANDOM START QF2: \_\_\_

3. I'm going to read phrases that describe common types of criminal justice information that is shared with the PUBLIC, which includes individuals, organizations or businesses, or the media. In your opinion, should (READ LIST) be always shared, usually shared, usually not shared, or never shared with the public?

	ALWAYS SHARED	USUALLY SHARED	USUALLY NOT SHARED	NEVER SHARED	DON'T HAVE ONE	DK	RA
a.							
a.	information about the victim of sexual assault or domestic abuse	1	2	3	4	8	9
b.	information about the victim of some OTHER crime	1	2	3	4	8	9
c.	information about a juvenile who engages in serious or violent criminal activity	1	2	3	4	8	9
d.	information about a juvenile who engages in MINOR criminal activity	1	2	3	4	8	9
e.	information about a person who witnesses a crime	1	2	3	4	8	9
f.	information about an ACTIVE criminal investigation	1	2	3	4	8	9
g.	information about your own arrest or conviction record	1	2	3	4	5	8 9
g-1.	(IF DON'T HAVE ONE) information about your own arrest or conviction record, if you had one	1	2	3	4	8	9
h.	information about some OTHER person's arrest or conviction record	1	2	3	4	8	9